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Lansing Site for Task Force Hearing

Hearing to be held on June 16 at Boji Tower

Monday, June 09, 2003 – State Sen. Cameron S. Brown, R-Fawn River Township, announced today that he will bring the Michigan Beverage Container and Recycling Task Force to Lansing on Monday, June 16, 2003, to receive testimony from area residents.

The hearing will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Senate Hearing Room at the Boji Tower, 124 W. Allegan, Lansing.

Previous hearings have been held in Grand Rapids, Oakland County, Saginaw, Adrian, Coldwater, Port Huron and Gaylord.

The task force is responsible for reviewing Michigan's current recycling program and Beverage Container Law. **Those wishing to testify may contact Brown's office toll free at (866) 305-0316 or at (517) 373-5932. The task force hearing is open to the public.** Those wishing to speak may also provide a written copy of their testimony.

The remaining statewide dates and locations for the task force are as follows (all hearings are held from 7 to 9 p.m.):

June 16	Lansing	pending	*Sault Ste. Marie
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Brown's office may be contacted with any questions.

**please note that the hearing in Sault Ste. Marie will be rescheduled*